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For: BIODEGRADABLE BRANCHED
POLYLACTIDE DERIVATIVES CAPABLE
OF FORMING POLYMERIC MICELLES,
AND THEIR PREPARATION METHOD
AND USE

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AMENDMENT UNDER § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated November 6, 2009, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.